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- (1) CASES et al., "ACAT-2, A Second Mammalian Acyl-CoA:Cholesterol Acyltransferase. It's cloning expression, and characterization", *J. Biol. Chem.* **October 9, 1998** 273(41): 26755-26764
- (2) International Patent Publication No. WO 99/67368 (University of California) Specifically noted page 40, line 26-31; Page 28, line 15, page 30, line 3. Column 17, line 39. **December 29, 1999**
- (3) U.S. Patent No. 6,100,077 (Sturley, et al.) **August 8, 2000** (Attached as item AA)

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